Further, a separate package for the promotion of small, tiny and village enterprises has been laid in Parliament on 6th August, 1991. The policy measures which have been implemented relate to enhancement in the investment limit of plant and machinery in respect of tiny units from Rs. 2 lakhs to Rs. 5 lakhs, inclusion of business and industry related services as tiny units, modification in definition of women enterprises, simplification of rules and procedures regarding registration, disbanding of certain committees which existed earlier, issuance of Ordinance entitled "The interest on Delayed *Payments to small Scale and Ancillary* Industrial Undertakings Ordinance, 1992", Equity Participation by other Industrial Undertakings in SSI units upto 24%. The policy measures which are under formulation relate to Limited Partnership Act, Integrated Infrastructural Development Scheme for small scale units in rural and backward areas, creation of Modernisation Fund for small scale industries etc.

Surplus staff in PSUs

1280. SHRI VIREN J. SHAH :

SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that there are about 23,000 surplus employees in undertaking under the Heavy Industry Department as reported in the Financial Express, New Delhi of January 14, 1993;

(b) if so, what are the details of the surplus staff, category wise in each public sector undertaking; and

(c) what are the details of the schemes under which the Ministry of Industry propose to settle the claims of the surplus staff or to absorb them in other Departments ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY) (SMT. KRISHNA SAHI) : (a) to (c) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Delicensing passenger car industry

1281. SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA :

SHRI CHATURANAN MISHRA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have decided to delicense the passenger car industry; and

(b) if so, the details in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT) WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY) (SMT. KRISHNA SAHI) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Functions of National Renewal Fund

1282. SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA :

SHRI SUSHILKUMAR SAMBHAJIRAO SHINDE :

SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE :

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that a high level authority headed by Secretary, Industrial Development, has been set up to administer the National Renewal Fund;

(b) if so, what are the precise constitution and functions of the Authority; and

(c) how much of the National Renewal Fund has been spent during the year so far on different schemes, scheme-wise and now much of it is earmarked for 1993-94?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT) WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INDUSTRY (DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY) (SMT.

KRISHNA SAHI) : (a) and (b) Government have constituted a high level Empowered Authority on 27th January, 1993 to Administer the National Renewal Fund. The composition of the Empowered Authority is as follows :—

Secretary (Industrial Development)	Chairman
Secretary (Expenditure)	Member
Secretary (Public Enterprises)	Member
Secretary (Company Affairs)	Member
Secretary (Labour)	Member
Secretary (Education)	Member
Economic Adviser, Ministry of Industry	Member
Labour Representative to be nominated by the Ministry of Labour	Member
Employers' Representative to be nominated by the Department of Industrial Development	Member
Two eminent persons from outside Government, with professional experience or expertise in the fields of management, Industrial or labour relations	Members
Additional Secretary, Department of Industrial Development	Executive Director

Funds will be disbursed by the Empowered Authority for the benefit of labour under schemes approved by the Authority for the central public sector enterprises, State Governcent enterprises and the private sector.

(c) In the first instance, funds have been allocated from the National Renewal Fund for implementation of Voluntary Retirement Schemes of Central Public Sector Undertakings. Details of the allocations in the Revised Estimates : 1992-93 and the Budget Estimates : 1993-94 are given in the Statement.

Statement

Allocation of funds for implementation of Voluntary Retirement Scheme of Central Public Sector Undertakings

(Rs. in cores)

Ministry/Department	Revised Estimates 1992-93	Budget Estimates 1993-94
1	2	3
Department of Chemicals and Petrochemicals	21.60	41.50
Smith Stainistreet Pharmaceuticals Ltd.	1.00	1.00
Bengal Chemicals and Pharmaceuticals Ltd.	2.00	2.50
Bengal Immucity Ltd.	2.00	1.50
Indian Drugs & Pharmaceuticals Ltd.	15.00	34.00
Hindustan Insecticides Ltd.	1.60	2.50
Department of Fertilizers	62.50	58.50
Hindustan Fertilizers Corporation Ltd.	22.00	15.00
Fertilizer Corporation of India Ltd.	25.00	25.00

1	2	3
Pyrites, Phosphates and Chemicals Ltd.	0.50	0.50
Projects and Development India Ltd.	15.00	18.00
Department of Tourism	--	8.73
Indian Tourism Development Corporation	—	8.73
Ministry of Civil Supplies	—	14.00
Hindustan Vegetable Oils Corporation Ltd.	—	14.00
Ministry of Defence	—	10.00
Bharat Earth Movers Limited	—	10.00
Ministry of Food Processing Industries	0.34	2.00
Modern Food	0.34	2.00
Department of Heavy Industry	153.00	136.00
Engineering Industries	141.00	128.00
Consumer Industries	11.50	8.00
Other Industries	0.50	—
Ministry of Mines	—	29.35
Ministry of Steel	41.00	41.00
Hindustan Steel Works Construction Ltd.	30.00	30.00
Bharat Refractories Ltd.	3.00	3.00
Bird Group of companies	8.00	8.00
Ministry of Surface Transport	52.66	85.00
Hindustan Shipyard Ltd.	10.00	10.00
Houghly Dock & Port Engineers Ltd.	4.66	5.00
Delhi Transport Corporation	30.00	60.00
Central Inland Water Transport Corporation Ltd.	8.00	10.00
Ministry of Textiles	488.56	261.32
National Jute Manufactures Corporation	2.00	2.00
British India Corporation	0.75	0.75
Jute Corporation of India	0.50	0.50
National Textile Corporation	440.00	225.00
Elgin Mills*	35.25	27.15
Cawnpore Textile Mills*	10.66	5.92
Ministry of Water Resources	10.00	12.00
National Projects Construction Ltd.	10.00	12.00
TOTAL	829.66	700.00
*Includes funds for purposes other than VRS as detailed below :		
National Textile Corporation	100.00	50.00
Elgin Mills	20.00	10.00
Cawnpore Textile Mills*	2.00	1.00